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In re Application of
Francesco Alex Maone, et al.
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Filed: May 12, 2005
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This is a decision in response to the petition, filed June 10, 2009, to revive the above-identified application under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b). The delay in responding is regretted; however, was recently referred to the Office of Petitions for consideration.

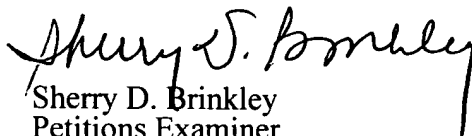
The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed October 6, 2008. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on April 16, 2009. On June 10, 2009, the present petition was filed.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) a proposed reply in the form of an amendment; (2) the petition fee of \$1,620; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay.

The application is being referred to Technology Center AU 2629 for appropriate action by the Examiner in the normal course of business on the response filed June 10, 2009.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3204. Inquiries relating to further prosecution should be directed to the Technology Center.


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